

ALARMING JUMP IN FEVER CASES

Heat and Thunderstorm
Allies for Yellow Fever.

MORE DEATHS REPORTED

Quarantine Regulations Lead to Serious
Difficulty Between Louisiana
and Mississippi.

PLAGUE RECORD.

Statistics show an increase of yellow fever cases as follows:

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| New cases | 42 |
| Deaths | 16 |
| Total cases | 346 |
| Total deaths | 68 |

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 2.—The heat of the forenoon yesterday and the thunderstorm during the afternoon and night caused an alarming increase in the number of new cases of yellow fever within the past twenty-four hours.

There were forty-two new cases and six deaths. Experts attribute the two-fold increase in the number of the new cases to the extreme heat of Monday night, which was by far the hottest of the year, and the suffocating heat of yesterday, which was followed by an unusually heavy thunderstorm in the afternoon and which continued until night. From the time that the storm broke until it spent its fury there was a big jump in the number of cases. From 3 o'clock until 6 reports in large number were received of new cases and at that hour forty-two had been rolled up, by far the largest number since the fever began.

Blamed on Storm.

Dr. Edmund Souchon, president of the Louisiana board of health, today stated that the thunderstorm of yesterday afternoon and last night would develop yellow fever much earlier than under ordinary circumstances, and would cause an increase in the death rate among those that have become infected. Citing by the statement of Dr. Souchon, there will be quite an increase in the death rate for the forthcoming twenty-four hours.

Up to date 346 cases of yellow fever have been reported to the board of health, and sixty-eight deaths. The list of suspects to date is fifty-three.

Two States at War.

The relations between Mississippi and Louisiana have become so strained that it may be necessary for the Federal Government to intervene, in order to prevent armed collisions between the land and sea forces of the States. Governor Blanchard has received word that some of the troops of Mississippi sent to guard the frontier have in the fervor of protecting their State crossed over into Louisiana territory. Governor Blanchard has informed Governor Vardaman of this violation of Louisiana's territory, and puts him on notice if it is repeated the Federal Government will be appealed to.

Worse than this, Mississippi has sent armed vessels to the Gulf to prevent Louisiana fishermen from plying their trade in Mississippi waters. When informed of this action by President Souchon, of the State board of health, Governor Blanchard promptly sent a strong dispatch to Governor Vardaman, saying that the State would not tolerate such infringement.

Mobilizing State Navy.

There is much indignation here over the position taken by Mississippi, and there is talk of reprisal against the citizens of that State.

Not only is the State navy being mobilized, but General Bersiat, of the State militia, has been ordered to investigate the situation on the Mississippi border. Texas has renewed the quarantine, and both Arkansas and Tennessee are taking extraordinary precautions against the introduction of fever.

The feature of the day's news is the report that ten cases of fever have appeared at Louisiana points outside the city. The State board of health also reports a case which came from Louisiana.

Militia Ordered Out.

The governor of Arkansas has ordered the State militia to guard all roads entering Arkansas, and has also issued an order prohibiting any one from Louisiana entering the State.

Governor Jelks, of Alabama, despite the fact that there is a case of yellow fever in Montgomery, issued a proclamation closing the entire State to Louisiana.

Troops Will Remain

At Jefferson Barracks
War Department officials have decided not to remove the soldiers quartered at Jefferson Barracks, unless the yellow fever situation in New Orleans grows much worse.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 31st day of July, 1905, a petition was filed in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, by Great Western Oil Company, a corporation created and existing under the laws of the United States, applicable to the District of Columbia, stating that inasmuch as another corporation had adopted the name Great Western Oil Company and for the purpose of avoiding inconvenience and irregularities in petitioner's mail, therefore, by a vote of the stockholders of the petitioner, the president and secretary of said petitioner were duly authorized to petition the Supreme Court for a change of name to Great Western Petroleum Company. The said petition contains a prayer to that effect, GREAT WESTERN OIL COMPANY, By F. E. LAUCHLIN, President.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, Washington, July 26, 1905.—An examination of applicants for appointments as surgeons to the Police and Fire Departments, medical inspectors of public schools, and physicians to the poor, in the service of the District of Columbia, will be held by the United States Civil Service Commission on August 14 and 15, 1905. Blank forms for applications and all necessary information can be obtained upon written application to the Health Officer or will be furnished on or before August 7, 1905. WILLIAM TINDALL, Secretary to the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

Ben. Einstein, Dealer in Metals, Scrap Iron, and Machinery, has removed to 301 Tenth street northwest. N. E. Cor. 10th & C. N. W. Aug. 1st.

SOUTHERN GOVERNORS WHO CLASH OVER REGULATIONS GOVERNING PLAGUE QUARANTINE AGAINST LOUISIANA



JAMES K. VARDAMAN, Governor of Mississippi, Whose Soldiers Are Said to Have Crossed the State Line.

BOLIVAR HEIGHTS IN HANDS OF SOLDIERS

(Continued from First Page.)

When these tasks were over, the men procured their bed sacks, and after being lined up, marched off to a huge straw pile where each man stuffed a handful of straw into the tick and then threw two handfuls at the man standing beside him. With these hand-made, sweet and clean mattresses on the backs or under their arms, the guardsmen trudged back to their tents, and falling upon their beds, slept. A short while later the members of the Second Regiment dressed and went out on the drill field for parade and review. At 8 o'clock tonight there will be an officers' call. All the commissioned men in the brigade will line up outside General Harries' tent, or perhaps in the lecture tent. There the commanding general will make a speech to them. He will outline his plans for the ten days, and also tell them what is expected of each man, as well as the men in order them. Shortly after this there will be a lecture by Surgeon Gen. George Henderson. His subject will be "Camp Sanitation," which is an especially beneficial subject on the first day of camp, because much depends upon the way things are kept around the kitchens and scores of tents. After the lecture the subject talked of by the lecturers will be open for discussion by all the officers. In fact, discussion has been invited.

No Leave Tonight.

It is not believed that many of the guardsmen will be granted leave tonight. One company is on guard at camp. The men on duty are supposed to challenge any and all persons who try to get into the camp grounds after "tags" without the countersign or a pass. In former years the men granted passes went to the city nearest the camp and procured considerable disorder in the main streets. The company commanders have been warned against a repetition of this, and should suspect that a provost guard will be sent down to Harper's Ferry, which is only a few miles from the camp grounds, to take charge of the peace disturbers, and to see that the peace is maintained. The Department of the District of Columbia, arrived in camp yesterday morning, and now quarters at the tent near that of General Harries. He will remain here throughout the encampment, and will act as an umpire.

When the guardsmen arrived they found the regular troops already established in their camp, which is to the right of the Hospital Corps, but on a separate field. The regulars are the members of the Third Battery, Field Artillery, commanded by Captain Somers, and Troop F, of the Thirtieth Cavalry. Both organizations are from Fort Myer, Va. They arrived yesterday afternoon from Leesburg, Va., having covered the twenty-seven miles in excellent time.

Yesterday they had two long drills and are thoroughly established. The officers of the two organizations paid their respects to General Harries shortly after he had partaken of lunch, which was waiting.

Soldier Boys Were Given Great Send Off

Many were the moist eyes at the station, New York and Florida avenues when the guardsmen entrained. Many were the fond adieus and countless were the handkerchiefs and flags waved at the departing guardsmen. Had one not known better it would have been surmised that the country was not safe and that the "Fride of the District" was actually going to war.

The guardsmen got off in good time. They were instructed to be on hand at the army about 6:30 or 7 o'clock in order to be formed in line and march to the starting point. Many of the guardsmen kissed their mothers, wives, sweethearts and other loved ones good-bye last night and slept on the porch at the army in some favorite other place until time to report to their captains. Others dressed themselves in their uniforms and went to bed.

Crowds Saw Them Off.

Notwithstanding the early hour at which they left the army, over the Center Market, several thousand persons were assembled there to see them off. As the brigade moved north, the crowd, composed for the most part of women, girls and small boys, who liked to hear the band, diminished, until only about 200 remained when the starting place was left behind. A large crowd, perhaps a thousand or fifteen hundred, was at the station to give the boys a "send off." No time was to be lost, however, after the men reached the trains. They scrambled in as fast as they could and were quickly seated.

The majority leaned out the windows and talked with friends in the crowd. Most of those who went to see the guardsmen off carried flags, which they waved as the train moved out. The militiamen gave three rousing cheers. The sentimental young women buried their faces in their hands, on which they held their handkerchiefs, and cried. Others shouted: "Be sure and write to me every day, Charlie. I'm going to expect it. If I don't get the letters I'll be so disappointed."

Carried the Supplies.

The first section of the train carried all of the servants and the camp equipment that Major Neumeier had not already sent up to the site. The artillery equipment, such as the cannon, harness, caissons, and horses used by the First Battery, Field Artillery, was also carried on this section. General Harries, his staff, the officers of the two regiments, as well as the chaplains, left on the first train, and the other section bearing the enlisted men followed soon after.

TIT FOR TAT.

Mrs. Naggleton—What have you ever done to benefit any of your fellow-men? Mr. Naggleton—None? Why, didn't I marry you?—Pick-Me-Up.

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A special lot of Brooches, Waist Sets, Scarf Pins, Necklaces, and other odds and ends in jewelry, worth 50c and 60c—in this great end of the season sale, at 10c.

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What is left of our Lawn Wrappers; light grounds with floral effects, in black, blue, navy, tan, and red; trimmed with bretelles and ruffles; regularly \$1 and \$1.25—now 59c.

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